GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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WORKERS IN LPG BOTTLING PLANTS
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of skilled/unskilled workers in LPG bottling Plants, in the country particularly in the North-eastern Region,district-wise / plant-wise ;

(b) the minimum / maximum wages being paid to them by these plants ; and (

(c) the details of other facilities being provided by each Plant to the workers of bottling Plants ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) : Presently, the total number of skilled/unskilled workers working in LPG bottling plants of Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies in the country are about 1800 and 3600 respectively. In the North-Eastern region, the number of skilled/unskilled workers are 89 and 93 respectively.

(b) : The minimum / maximum wages being paid to the skilled / unskilled workers of bottling plants in North-Eastern Region is given as under :-

	Minimum	Maximum
Skilled	Rs. 4892	Rs. 11241
Unskilled	Rs. 4594	Rs. 8184

(c) : The major facilities being extended to the workers of bottling pants are shift allowance, uniform, conveyance allowance, medical facilities, contributory Provident Fund, leave and house rent allowance etc..